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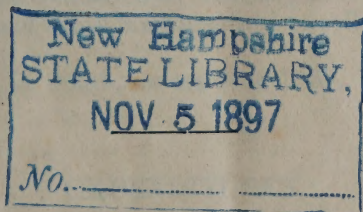
OF THE

SELECTMEN AND AUDITORS

OF THE

TOWN OF SALISBURY,

FOR THE YEAR 1870.



CONCORD:
BUTTERFIELD & HILL, PRINTERS,
1870.

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SELECTMEN'S ACCOUNT.

The Selectmen charge themselves with the following sums :
1869.

Mar. 11,	Rec'd of C. C. Rogers, last treasurer,	\$483 03.
	J. C. Smith, collector for 1868,	700 00
Nov. 24,	State treasurer, Savings Bank	
	tax,	201 51
	State treasurer, railroad tax,	81 40
	“ “ literary fund,	56 00
1870.		
Jan. 8,	John S. Pressey, on note due	
	town,	375 03
Feb. 15,	M. P. Thompson, collector 1866,	68 00
	the town of Franklin,	50 00
21,	the town of Newport, bank tax,	12 96
	the county of Merrimack, for	
	support of paupers,	254 94
	on town notes,	8,118 84
Mar. 1,	R. B. Kelley, on note,	11 29
	“ “ note of town to	
	Charles T. Kelley,	211 74
	C. C. Rogers, for lumber,	2 86
	J. C. Smith, coll. interest on	
	taxes 1869,	26 16
	Amount of taxes committed to collector, 1869,	9,277 26
	Amount of school house tax committed to collec-	
	tor, 1869,	50 00
	Received of J. C. Smith, on tax book 1868,	500 00
		\$20,481 02

EXPENDITURES.

Current Expenses.

1869.

Mar. 6,	Paid J. C. Smith and D. J. Calef, audi-	
	tors, 1868,	\$4 00

Mar. 18,	Paid D. L. Guernsey, for books and stationery,	2 82
27,	B. W. Sanborn & Co., books and stationery,	14 13
	David Bacon, abatement on tax in 1868,	2 46
July 1,	C. E. Foote, postage stamps and envelopes,	61
Oct. 23,	B. W. Sanborn & Co., check-lists and warrants,	2 00
Nov. 18,	C. E. Smith, express on money,	40
	T. D. Little, services for surveying,	5 75
	E. G. Wallace, auction bills,	75
	D. R. Everett, bill paper,	34
	T. D. Little, deed and surveying,	3 50
1870.		
Feb. 2,	Thomas M. Lang, recording deed,	50
22,	S. B. Greeley, abatement on tax,	1 00
	C. C. Rogers, S. S. committee,	24 00
	Benj. Buzzell, abatement on tax,	11 35
	D. J. Calf, S. S. committee,	18 00
	C. E. Smith, care of town house,	2 00
	John Rand, damage on wagon,	6 00
	Francis Shaw, abatement on tax,	5 00
	Isaac Sanborn, abatement on tax,	1 13
	Gilman Moores, abatement on tax,	2 27
	William Holmes, damage on wagon,	5 00
	Thomas H. Whitaker, services as town clerk,	22 00
	Moses C. Webster, board and horse keeping,	4 00
25,	B. F. Sanborn, cutting timber,	2 25
	Eastman, Page & Albin, for advice,	5 00
	B. F. Sanborn, services as constable,	2 00
	F. J. Fellows, abatement of poll tax 1868,	2 46
Mar. 1,	H. C. W. Moores, board of selectmen and horse keeping,	15 00
	H. C. W. Moores, services as treasurer,	25 00
	P. A. Fellows, abatement 1868,	1 00
	C. G. Morse, abatement on tax 1869,	1 70

Mar. 1,	Paid J. C. Smith, abatement on tax book 1868,	100 00
	J. C. Smith, for highway receipts,	28 50
	" " for collecting on book 1868,	16 50
	J. C. Smith, for several abatements 1869,	22 10
	J. C. Smith, for non-resident highway receipts,	85 38
	J. C. Smith, abatement on tax book 1869,	20 00
	J. C. Smith, for collecting taxes 1869,	70 00
	George E. Fellows, half day on check-list,	1 00
	highway non-resident receipts and bill,	4 98
	Asaph R. Wheeler, abatement on tax 1869,	18 16
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		\$560 04

Sheep Killed by Dogs.

Paid Daniel S. Piper, 2 sheep, \$2 25,	\$4 50
O. B. Stevens, 7 sheep, 1 25,	8 75
Warren F. Locke, 1 sheep,	2 50
J. C. Smith, 1 sheep,	2 00
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	\$17 75

Paid School Districts.

Dist. No. 1,	Paid T. D. Little,	\$203 78
2,	W. W. Sleeper,	183 73
3,	Daniel C. Stevens,	73 05
4,	Moses J. Stevens,	58 37
5,	Jonathan French,	68 83
6,	A. P. Dunlap,	75 04
7,	Elias P. Smith,	59 06
8,	Benj. Gale,	43 10
9,	Charles F. Green,	39 25
10,	A. F. Watson,	35 58

Dist. No. 11,	Paid Hale P. Shaw,	49 41
9,	in Andover, William B. Emery,	4 54
4,	in Webster, Walter S. Couch,	4 50
7,	in Warner, True Flanders,	2 55
12,	in Warner, H. C. Couch,	19 83
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		\$920 62

Paid School House Tax.

Dist. No. 5,	Paid Jonathan French,	\$20 00
8,	Nathan Kilburn,	30 00
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		\$50 00

State and County Tax 1869.

Paid State treasurer, State tax,	\$1,926 00
county treasurer, county tax,	828 05
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	\$2,754 05

Paid on Town Notes.

Paid on notes standing against the town,	\$10,176 55
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Highways and Bridges.

1869.

Nov. 1,	Paid C. A. J. Shaw, land damage new road,	\$15 00
	Samuel Emerson, land damage new road,	15 00
5,	Harriett C. Prescott, land damage new road,	10 00
9,	O. B. Stevens, land damage new road,	5 00
12,	Daniel Morse, land for use of highway,	25 00
26,	Sanborn Shaw, building new road,	216 00
Dec. 13,	Warren F. Locke, land damage new road,	20 00
	Warren F. Locke, stone for bridge,	5 00
	C. A. J. Shaw, building new road,	290 85
	Francis Shaw, " "	110 00

Dec. 13,	Paid Francis Shaw, land damage new road,	15 00
	O. B. Stevens, land for use of new road,	5 00
	E. E. Smith, for iron for bridge and express,	1 75
1870.		
Feb. 17,	I. P. Sargent, work on bridge,	2 00
22,	Cyrus Gookin, for lumber,	7 18
	A. P. Dunlap, repairing roads,	7 50
	Stephen Pingrey, lumber,	1 97
	Alpheus Huntoon, repairing road,	4 50
	J. F. Huntoon, " "	27 30
23,	B. F. Sanborn, work on bridge,	1 50
	R. F. Batchelder, work on bridge,	15 00
	G. W. Howe, repairing Searl hill road,	19 50
	J. C. Smith, selling at auction road and bridge,	15 00
	R. Fellows, cutting and hewing timber,	3 00
	Moses J. Stevens, repairing road,	8 00
	S. P. Scribner, work at bridge,	9 00
	Isaac Sanborn, repairing roads,	9 02
	L. C. Scribner, " "	3 00
	" " for A. C. Pettingill's bill,	7 50
	Harriet Scribner, for A. C. Pettingill's bill,	9 00
	P. Phinton and D. Sullivan, for A. C. Pettingill's bill,	12 00
	H. Farnum, for A. C. Pettingill's bill,	4 50
	Moses J. Stevens, repairing road,	5 02
	D. Farnum, " "	6 00
	R. K. Farnum, " "	4 50
	James M. Mitchell, " "	7 25
	Nathan Tucker, jr., " "	5 75
	Benj. Buzzell, work on bridge,	9 00
	Jonathan Arey, iron work for bridge,	1 00
1869.		
Mar. 8,	Silas Elkins, breaking highway,	1 62

Mar. 11,	Paid Moses Moody, breaking highway,	3 70
	Phineas Clough, " "	10 00
Nov. 12,	Albert F. Watson, breaking highway,	6 50
	A. F. Watson, repairing highway,	5 00
Feb. 22,	John Corson, breaking highway	
	Dist. No. 4,	8 70
	B. F. Scribner, breaking highway,	4 30
	H. V. Heath, breaking highway	
	Dist. No. 11,	10 00
	Joseph Clifford, breaking highway	
	Dist. No. 9,	6 00
	H. C. Couch, breaking highway	
	Dist. No. 18,	10 30
	G. W. Howe, breaking highway	
	Dist. No. 8,	3 92
	D. C. Stevens, breaking highway,	1 50
	D. W. Roberts, breaking highway,	6 30
	S. P. Scribner, breaking highway	
	Dist. No. 12,	4 90
	John C. Carter, breaking highway,	4 00
	I. K. Blaisdell, breaking highway,	8 80
	L. C. Scribner, repairing highway	
	Dist. No. 12,	9 00
28,	Geo. E. Fellows, work on bridges,	12 75
Mar. 1,	F. Stevens, work on highway and bridges,	10 25
	B. F. Shaw, breaking highway,	8 00
	L. W. Tucker, " "	7 40
	D. S. Prince, " "	5 00
	Stevens & Shaw, 6 lbs.,	36
	C. C. Rogers, repairing highway,	1 50
	" " breaking highway,	50
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		\$1,088 89

Pauper Bills.

1867.		
July 1,	Paid J. M. Shirley, advice,	\$1 00
1869.		
April 29,	N. H. Asylum, for Edwin Scribner,	49 95
May 21,	James M. Mitchell, for board of Dor- othy Foster,	8 00

July 22,	Paid N. H. Asylum, for Edwin Scribner,	53 10
Sept. 20,	Thais E. Page, for support,	25 00
	Evan M. Heath, articles furnished	
	E. Davis,	1 17
Nov. 1,	N. H. Asylum, for Edwin Scribner,	62 50
13,	C. E. Foote & Co., goods for G.	
	W. Ladd,	8 66
	C. E. Foote & Co., goods for Har-	
	riet Scribner,	37 00
30,	Albert Tilton, transient pauper,	5 25
1870.		
Jan. 3,	D. R. Everett, goods for D. Glines,	1 31
27,	N. H. Asylum, for Edwin Scribner,	58 31
29,	Thomas Foote, coffin for F. Ladd,	6 00
Feb. 16,	Adaline Munroe, for support of Jas.	
	Munroe,	71 00
	Emma J. Heath, for support,	8 00
22,	Moses Colby, digging grave for F.	
	Ladd,	2 50
	W. W. Sleeper, medical attendance	
	to A. W. Glines,	3 25
	W. W. Sleeper, medical attendance	
	to E. D. Glines,	18 85
	W. W. Sleeper, medical attendance	
	to John Emery,	4 55
	W. W. Sleeper, medical attendance	
	to Mrs. D. Heath,	4 55
	W. W. Sleeper, medical attendance	
	to G. W. Ladd,	20 80
	W. W. Sleeper, medical attendance	
	to E. Davis,	28 60
	W. W. Sleeper, medical attendance	
	to Mrs. E. Scribner,	18 65
	W. W. Sleeper, medical attendance	
	to Harriet Scribner,	16 50
	John B. Colby, support of James	
	Dunlap,	89 25
23,	Benj. Buzzell, wood delivered Sarah	
	Stevens,	16 00
	D. R. Everett, goods for Harriet	
	Scribner,	16 00
	Ellen Corson, for Phebe Stevens,	5 00

Feb. 23,	Paid John W. Huntoon, whiskey for Har-		
	riet Scribner,		95
	Thais E. Page, for support,		25 50
28,	Geo. E. Fellows, for transient pau-		
	pers,		2 00
	S. P. Scribner, house rent,		4 00
June 16,	H. C. W. Moores, to Franklin on pau-		
	per case,		1 50
30,	" " 1-2 day	"	1 00
Aug. 3,	" " 1 day	"	1 50
27,	" " "	"	2 00
Feb. 1,	" " 1 day preparing county		
	bills,		1 50
2,	" " " to Concord with		
	commissioners and		
	expenses,		4 00
11,	" " 1 day on pauper case,		2 00
16,	" " " to Hopkinton,		
	Heath case,		3 00
26,	" " 1 day to Alexandria,		
	Page case,		4 00
1869.			
Sept. 7,	F. Stevens, 1-2 day to Boscawen on		
	pauper business,		1 00
14,	" " " "		1 00
16,	" 6 days board of John		
	Emery, and articles fur-		
	nished him,		5 50
Oct. 30,	" 1-2 day on pauper business,		1 00
Dec. 20,	" " " "		1 00
23,	" 1 day settling pauper bill,		2 00
Mar. 1,	Stevens & Shaw, E. Davis' bill,		9 05
	" " J. Willey's bill,		7 57
	" " E. D. Glines' bill,		4 58
	Gookins & Dunlap, pauper bill,		54 83
	Francis Shaw, digging grave for		
	Susan Heath,		2 00
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			\$774 23

SELECTMEN'S SERVICES.

H. C. W. Moores' Bill.

1869.

Mar. 11,	To one half day settling with last treasurer,	\$1 00
19,	one day hiring money,	2 00
24,	one half day attending jury meeting,	75
25,	“ “ hiring money,	1 00
29,	one day preparing invoice books,	1 50
April 3,	three days taking inventory,	6 00
10,	“ assessing taxes,	4 50
14,	“ “ “	4 50
20,	four days recording taxes,	6 00
23,	three days filling collector's book and appointing collector,	4 50
29,	one day to Concord and expenses,	4 00
June 21,	one half day on town business,	1 00
July 2,	one day apportioning school money,	1 50
8,	“ on town business and money paid,	1 68
Aug. 6,	“ assessing school house tax,	1 50
7,	one half day attending jury meeting,	75
Sept. 10,	“ examining river bridge,	1 00
Oct. 1,	one day attending road hearing,	2 00
5,	one half day on town business,	1 00
6,	“ attending road hearing,	1 00
19,	two days laying out road,	4 00
23,	one day preparing check-list and warrant,	1 50
25,	“ appraising land damage on new road,	1 00
26,	one half day attending sale of road building,	1 00
Nov. 3,	“ settling road damages,	1 00
4,	“ revising check-list,	1 00
5,	one day to Concord and expenses,	4 00
8,	“ to Franklin on town business,	2 00
9,	one half day on town business,	1 00
12,	one day “ “	2 00
16,	one half day “ “	1 00
23,	“ attending bridge auction,	1 00
24,	“ on town business,	1 00
25,	“ examining sec. new road,	1 00

Dec.	4,	To one half day examining sec. new road,	1 00
		“ attending jury meeting,	75
	11,	one day on town business,	2 00
	13,	one half day examining new road,	1 00
	22,	one day hiring money,	2 00
	23,	one half day revising jury box,	1 00
1870.			
Jan.	8,	one day on town business,	2 00
	22,	“ on bridge and other business,	2 00
Feb.	18,	one and one half days preparing check-	
		list and warrants,	2 25
	22,	one day at M. C. Webster's settling bills,	1 50
	23,	“ at Tilton's hotel settling bills,	1 50
	25,	two days recording bills,	3 00
Mar.	1,	one and one half days preparing report,	2 25
		one half day revising check-list and	
		drawing jury,	1 00
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			\$93 68

Francis Stevens' Bill.

1869.

Mar.	6,	To one day with auditors,	\$1 50
	25,	one half day on bridge,	1 00
	29,	one day preparing invoice books,	1 50
April	6,	three and a half days taking inventory,	7 00
	14,	six days assessing taxes,	9 00
	23,	one day making returns,	1 50
Sept.	10,	one half day examining bridges,	1 00
	18,	“ hiring help,	1 00
Oct.	1,	one day attending road hearing,	2 00
	5,	“ on town business,	2 00
	6,	one half day attending road hearing,	1 00
	16,	“ on town business,	1 00
	19,	two days laying out new road,	4 00
	23,	one day making out check-list and war-	
		rant,	1 50
	25,	“ appraising land damage,	2 00
	28,	three days work on road,	4 50
Nov.	4,	one half day revising check-list,	75
	8,	“ examining bridges,	1 00
	11,	“ on town business,	1 00

Nov. 16,	To one half day on town business,	1 00
23,	“ attending bridge auction,	1 00
	“ examining sec. new road,	1 00
Dec. 4,	“ “ “ “	1 00
11,	“ “ “ “	1 00
23,	“ revising jury box,	1 00
1870.		
Jan. 17,	“ on town business,	1 00
Feb. 8,	one day cutting timber,	1 50
17,	“ making check-list,	1 50
22,	“ at M. C. Webster's settling bills,	1 50
23,	“ at Tilton's hotel settling bills,	1 50
25,	“ cutting timber,	1 50
26,	one half day cutting timber,	75
Mar. 1,	one and one half days preparing reports,	2 25
	one half day revising check-list and drawing jury,	1 00
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		\$62 75

George E. Fellows' Bill.

1869.		
Mar. 29,	To one day preparing invoice books,	\$1 50
April 5,	four days taking inventory,	8 00
12,	envelopes and postage,	10
14,	six days assessing taxes,	9 00
23,	one day making returns,	1 50
Aug. 12,	one half day on town business,	75
Sept. 10,	“ examining river bridge,	1 00
Oct. 1,	one day attending road hearing,	2 00
6,	one half day attending road hearing,	1 00
19,	two days laying out road,	4 00
23,	one day making check-list and warrant,	1 50
25,	“ appraising land damage,	2 00
26,	one half day attending sale of road building,	1 00
Nov. 3,	“ on town business,	1 00
4,	“ revising check-list,	1 00
8,	“ on town business,	1 00
16,	“ “ “	1 00
23,	“ attending bridge auction,	1 00
25,	“ examining sec. new road,	1 00

Dec. 4,	To one half day examining sec. new road,	1 00
	“ attending jury meeting,	75
11,	“ examining sec. new road,	1 00
13,	“ “ “	1 00
23,	“ revising jury box,	75
1870.		
Jan. 17,	“ at D. R. McAlister's on town business,	1 00
22,	“ on town business,	1 00
Feb. 18,	one and one half days making check- list and warrant,	2 25
22,	one day at M. C. Webster's settling bills,	1 50
23,	“ at Tilton's hotel settling bills,	1 50
Mar. 1,	one and one half days preparing report,	2 25
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		\$53 35

H. C. W. MOORES, } *Selectmen*
 FRANCIS STEVENS, } *of*
 GEO. E. FELLOWS, } *Salisbury.*

March 3, 1870.

AUDITORS' REPORT,

For the Year ending March 2, 1870.

Amount of receipts by Selectmen, \$20,481 02

Which they account for as follows :

Paid on town notes,	\$10,176 55
current expenses and Selectmens'	
services,	769 82
pauper bills,	774 23
roads and bridges,	1,088 89
for sheep killed by dogs,	17 75
school tax,	920 62
State tax,	1,926 00
county tax,	828 05
school house tax,	50 00
Due from J. C. Smith, collector for	
1869,	2,256 95
	<hr/> \$18,808 86

Balance in the treasury, \$1,672 16

Amount of notes against the town with interest
added to March 1, 1870, \$28,156 84

Cash in the hands of treasurer,	\$1,672 16
Taxes of 1869 uncollected,	2,256 95
Taxes of 1866 uncollected.	99 39
Due from R. B. Kelley,	424 49
U. S. assignments,	1,440 00
	<hr/> \$5,892 99

Indebtedness of the town above assets, \$22,263 85

There has been paid on notes that were outstanding
against the town March 6, 1869, \$4,146 59

The undersigned being chosen and qualified to audit the accounts of the Selectmen of Salisbury, for the year ending March 2, 1870, have attended to their duty and find that the indebtedness of the town as shown in the recapitulation is correct and that the accounts are correctly cast and properly vouched.

J. C. SMITH, }
C. C. ROGERS, } *Auditors.*

March 2, 1870.

